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City Buried Under Heaviest Christmas Snow in Years.

Vessels Aground, Collisions in Harbor and General Traffic Hindered.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—A blizzard, born at midnight and growing each hour, was sweeping New York and the northern Atlantic seaboard today. In 12 hours, the storm had blanketed the city with 10 inches of snow, the wind had risen to a 40-mile gale and had driven two vessels on the treacherous sands of the New Jersey coast.

With the snow still falling furiously at noon, the city was fast becoming storm-bound. The local weather bureau declared at that hour that the storm would continue without abatement during the afternoon and the wind would attain still greater velocity. The forecast for tomorrow is fair and the indications are that New York will be buried under the heaviest Christmas snow within a generation.

The two vessels in distress were the Turrialba of the United Fruit Company and the three-master John M. May of Philadelphia. The former, with about 60 passengers on board, had summoned help and revenue cutter Seneca was steaming to her rescue. The John H. May, with her crew of six landed, was pounded by a heavy sea off Sandy Hook.

The blinding snow in the harbor rivalled fog for obstructing traffic. Four ocean liners, one of them with Mrs. J. P. Morgan on board, lay at anchor off Quarantine, fearful of braving the thick weather to their docks. They were the Rotterdam from Rotterdam; the George Washington from Bremen, the Suriname from Paramaribo and the Catherine Cuneo from Port Antonio.

Earlier in the day a ferryboat and a tug collided in the upper harbor, injuring four men, two of them seriously.

Across the Hudson the railroad yards were choked with incoming passenger trains, some of them hours late and most of them heavily laden with commuters. Conditions in the yards of the Grand Central and New Haven roads in Manhattan were similar. Although the fall of snow, as recorded at the weather bureau, was but 10 inches at noon in the open places, it had drifted high. Reports of delayed or snow-bound suburban trains, of street traffic seriously impeded, and of vessels storm-bound in port were received from eastern cities as the day advanced.

Steamer George Washington, in proceeding later to her dock, dashed into a steam dredger at anchor, ripping the dredger's side entirely away. Tugs rescued the crew and lashed the dredger to their sides, keeping her afloat. Meantime the vessels at Quarantine were augmented by the Martha Washington, and the Ancon. The Lapland of the Red Star line anchored off Fire island, owing to the gale.

From the liner Amerika, incoming with 1,350 passengers on board, came a wireless message that she was feeling her way slowly through the storm. The Saratoga from Havana, notified her line by wireless that she had to reduce speed because of the blizzard and would be hours late in docking.

AN UNUSUALLY HIGH TIDE.

Northeasterly Gale Piles Up Mass of Waves Along the Coast.

BOSTON, Dec. 24.—A white Christmas was practically assured for New England with the arrival at dawn today of a storm from the Gulf of Mexico. Snow began falling in southern New England shortly after midnight and gradually extended to the Northeast as the disturbance moved up the coast. The 8 a. m. weather report showed four inches of snow at New Bedford, Mass., one inch at Concord and threatening at Bangor.

One of the features of the storm was the unusually high tide. Coming in the full moon the northeasterly gale piled up a mass of sea water along the coast, that threatened low-lying wharves, flooded marshes from Cape Cod to Scarboro, Maine. The tide was one of the highest since 1905.

The storm came on the third anniversary of a disturbance which badly damaged the coastwise fleet. The weather bureau at 8 o'clock reported the storm centre off Cape Hatteras and moving northeastward. The highest wind velocity at 8 a. m. in New England was at Block Island, 36 miles, and with 28 miles at Nantucket.

FOUR MEN INJURED.

Tug Boat Crashes Into Ferryboat Brooklyn Off the Battery.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—A tug boat, towing two barges, crashed into the ferryboat Brooklyn, off the Battery today, crushing in the men's cabin of the ferryboat and injuring four men, two seriously. Neither boat sustained any injury below the water line however. The blinding snow storm was responsible for the collision.

TRAFFIC BADLY HAMPERED.

Heaviest Snow Storm of the Winter Prevails in Connecticut.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Dec. 24.—The heaviest snow storm of the season prevails in Connecticut today. It set in during the night and by daylight more than six inches had fallen in some districts. Trolley service and other traffic is badly hampered.

FELICITATIONS EXCHANGED.

Sacred College Members Bring Christmas Greetings to the Pope.

ROME, Dec. 24.—The Pope this morning received the members of the Sacred College, bringing their Christmas greetings. The ceremony consisted of a simple exchange of felicitations. Cardinal Farley, Archbishop of New York, and Cardinal O'Connell, Archbishop of Boston, both telegraphed their Christmas good wishes to the Pope, who expressed his high appreciation.

PLENIPOTENTIARIES CAST OFF ALL CARES.

Delegates Enjoy Hospitality of Representatives in London.

Territorial Conditions Laid Down in Demands by Victorious Allies.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—The peace plenipotentiaries of the Ottoman empire and of the Balkan allies have for the most part momentarily cast off the cares of office and are enjoying the hospitality of their diplomatic representatives in London, who are entertaining in their honor, or are visiting friends in the country. Two or three of them have gone to Paris to consult with the French premier, Raymond Poincare, doubtless on the subject of mediation, which was mooted in his recent speech before the Chamber of Deputies and which is practically everywhere regarded as inevitable before the widely separated views of the allies and of the Turks can be brought to a compromise.

The present long break in the negotiations of the peace delegates is in all probability only the first of several, for when the plenipotentiaries come together again Saturday the Ottoman response to the conditions of peace laid down by the allies doubtless will be found to be merely a series of counter proposals, which will have to be referred to the Balkan government. This will necessitate another long interval.

There remains little doubt in diplomatic circles, however, that the crisis ultimately will be surmounted without a resumption of hostilities. Despite the outward appearance of a unity of views, it is known that there is latent jealously among the allied nations and as time tends to shape the differences as to the amount of credit due to the work of the respective armies there are indications of a greater desire on the part of the members of the Balkan league to yield some of the excessive demands so as to hasten a settlement.

After several days of preliminary skirmishing in accordance with the cherished traditions of oriental diplomacy, the Turkish delegates, the victorious allies yesterday laid their most important cards on the table. These were in the form of territorial conditions which they had agreed to impose on the Ottoman empire. The demands as set forth were:

First—The cession by Turkey of all the territory west of a line starting from a point east of Rodosto, on the sea of Marmora, to a point in the bay of Malaira, on the Black sea, and excluding the peninsula of Gallipoli, Albania's status to be decided by the Powers.

Second—The cession of the Aegean islands occupied by the Greek forces in the present war and by the Italians in the recent war.

Third—The cession to Greece of all Turkish rights in the Island of Crete.

The allies did not reveal yesterday the financial proposals which they will make to Turkey, reserving them for a future meeting.

GUANTANAMO AS A BASE.

Atlantic Fleet to Sail January 8 to Carry Out Winter Program.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—While the Atlantic fleet is scattered along the North Atlantic coast in the various navy yards, and the crews are making merry in the Christmas season, Admiral Bagder, who assumes command New Year's day, is busy engaged with Admiral Osterhaus, the retiring commander, in planning the winter work of the fleet.

The general features of the winter program have been completed and it is announced that the fleet will sail January 8 for Guantanamo, Cuba. Using this naval station as a base, the ships will go through all sorts of drills and engage in target practice. The marines will be given practice ashore and much torpedo work will be undertaken. One by one the various squadrons will make short trips to Colon, in redemption of the department's promise, which attracted many enlistments, to give the men an opportunity to visit and inspect the Panama canal before the water is turned on.

The homeward cruise will be begun March 17, all of the vessels converging upon Hampton Roads, from which safe anchorage they will sally forth by squadrons for target practice off the Chesapeake capes, after which there will be another period of rest at the home navy yards before the summer's work in taken up.

SUFFRAGETTES BRAVE STORM.

Remnant of Little Army Prepares for March to Livingston.

UPPER RED HOOK, N. Y., Dec. 24.—Braving one of the worst snow storms in years, "General" Rosalie Jones and the remnant of her little army of suffragettes resumed today their march to Albany, to carry a message to Governor-elect Sulzer. They planned to walk six miles through the almost knee-deep snow to Livingston, where they will stop for the night. The women purchased overshoes, mittens and mufflers before starting. "We must keep our schedule, no matter what the weather is," said Miss Jones, as she sounded "forward march."

STEAMERS REPORTED.

SABLE ISLAND, Nova Scotia, Dec. 24.—San Giorgio from Naples for New York, 715 miles east of Sandy Hook at 9 a. m., will dock 11:30 a. m. Thursday.

SABLE ISLAND, Nova Scotia, Dec. 24.—Menominee from Antwerp for Boston, 629 miles east of Boston at 9:10 a. m.

CAPE RACE, Newfoundland, Dec. 24.—Italy from Naples for New York, 1,285 miles east of Sandy Hook at 9 p. m. Dec. 23, will dock 8:30 a. m. Friday.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

New York, Dec. 24.—Martha Washington from Naples.

New York, Dec. 24, Amerika from Hamburg.

PLEAD NOT GUILTY AND FURNISH $10,000 BAIL.

Mellen and Chamberlin Appear in Court With Counsel.

Smithers, a British Subject, Expected Voluntarily to Come Here.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Charles S. Mellen, president of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, and E. J. Chamberlin, president of the Grand Trunk Railroad of Canada, indicted yesterday for criminal violation of the Sherman law, entered pleas of not guilty today, and were released in $10,000 bail each. They were given until January 6 to change their pleas if they should so desire.

Judge Hough was loath to demand bail in either case, and at first announced that he would release the defendants on their own recognizance. Counsel for the government, however, objected to this and called the court's attention to that fact that neither resided within the jurisdiction of the court. Bail was furnished by a surety company.

Mr. Mellen reached the courtroom a quarter of an hour ahead of Mr. Chamberlin. When the latter entered he joined Mr. Mellen and his lawyers in conversation.

Mr. Chamberlin's reply of "Not guilty," as they faced the bar, rang clear and loud through the courtroom Mr. Mellen's answer was hardly audible to the reporters sitting a few feet away.

When the question of bail arose Judge Hough said: "I will hold the defendants under $10,000 bail each, but if they were residents of this district I would release them both on their own recognizance."

Before leaving the courtroom, Mr. Crawford, of Mr. Chamberlin's counsel, said: "No jury will ever convict my client. The only reason why the work on the Grand Trunk extension was abandoned was because of high money rates. We are sure of acquittal."

Mr. Mellen declined to make a statement.

Counsel for the government said that no word had been received from any representative of the Grand Trunk as to whether Alfred W. Smithers, chairman of the Grand Trunk board of directors, indicted with Messrs. Mellen and Chamberlin, would appear to plead. They added that they would address a letter to Mr. Smithers in London, notifying him of the indictment and requesting him to appear forthwith to plead.

Assistant District Attorney Guller declared that there was no way of compelling Mr. Smithers to come to New York to plead to the indictment. The crime charged, Mr. Guller added, is not one for which Mr. Smithers's extradition could be requested.

The penalty, upon conviction, is one year in jail, a fine of $5,000 or both. Neither Mr. Mellen nor Mr. Chamberlin has had any extended comment to make on the government's charge, which is in effect that the defendants entered into an illegal monopoly agreement, the result of which was to stop the construction of the Grand Trunk extensions into New England.

Although a British subject with headquarters at London, it is said that Alfred W. Smithers, chairman of the Grand Trunk board of directors, and co-defendant with Mellen and Chamberlin, will voluntarily come to this country to plead to the indictment. January 7 the federal grand jury will resume its investigation into the Grand Trunk-New Haven agreement.

NOTED FRENCH ARTIST.

Jean Baptiste Edward De Taille Dies in Paris.

PARIS, Dec. 24.—Jean Baptiste Edward De Taille, the French painter, died here today, at the age of 64. De Taille, who was probably the best known modern French artist, had suffered for a long time from an affection of the heart. This morning when he awoke he found considerable difficulty in breathing. A doctor was called and administered stimulants without effect and the painter shortly after passed away. His aged parents were with him when he died.

TAFT ARRIVES AT COLON.

President and Party Guests of Colonel Goethals at Culebra.

COLON, Dec. 24.—President Taft and his party arrived here today on board United States warship Arkansas. They landed at 8 o'clock. The party includes President and Mrs. Taft, Charles P. Taft, Jr., Mis Louise Taft, Charles D. Hilles and Mrs. Hilles, Beekman Winthrop and Mrs. Winthrop, Major Rhoades, aide de camp, and Lieutenant Commander J. W. Timmons. Minister Dodge, a number of canal officials and President Taft and party were the guests today of Colonel G. W. Goethals at Culebra. Tomorrow evening they are to attend a dinner given by the American minister and afterwards a ball in the palace of President Belisario Porras of Panama.

President Taft, before landing, sent a wireless despatch to Colonel Goethals asking him to have special trains in readiness, as 2,000 blue-jackets from the Arkansas and Delaware, except the prisoners, are to be given the opportunity of inspecting the canal during their visit.

CAME IN CONTACT WITH WIRES.

Death of Wireless Operator at Norde Norddeich First of Kind Reported.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Wireless operators here say that the death of an operator in the great German wireless station at Norde Norddeich, near the North sea, Sunday, is probably the first case on record of a wireless operator being killed at his post. The Berlin despatch indicated that the operator, named Mueller, must have carelessly come into contact with the wires employed for the creation of electric waves, which are charged with such powerful voltage that death comes instantly to any one touching them.

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Institutional Service of Rev. H. Newman Lawrence as Rector of St. Paul's Church.

The institutional service of Rev. H. Newman Lawrence as rector of St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal Church at North Kingstown took place at the church Sunday morning in the presence of a large congregation. Owing to illness Bishop Perry, who was expected to officiate, could not be present, and Rev. Daniel Goodwin took his place.

A preliminary service was followed by the institution service and Communion. James A. Greene, senior warden of the parish, presented the keys of the church and Rev. Dr. Goodwin delivered the charge to the rector. The sermon was delivered by the Rev. J. H. Jackson of Providence. A special musical program was given.

PORTSMOUTH.

[Regular correspondence of The News.]

Mr. Reginald Norman, who gave $150 towards completing the new stretch on Wapping road, has several times had his four-horse roller put over the road and also sent his teams with gravel, giving their services.

Mrs. William F. Brayton, who has been quite ill, has improved sufficiently to visit her cousin, Mrs. W. W. Anthony, and family.

Rev. John Wadsworth preached Sunday morning from Luke II:7 and Galatians IV:4. In the evening his text was Luke II:10.

Mr. J. Harrison Peckham has purchased of Robert W. Anthony the so-called Wilcox cottage, now tenanted by Mr. Herbert Chase. It is situated on the East Main road, bounded east by land of Herbert Chase, north by land of Robert W. Anthony, west by the main road and south by land of George Anthony. Besides the house there is a good-sized stable, which may be made into a garage.

Mrs. L. A. Popple of Bristol Ferry is spending Christmas week with her daughter, Mrs. George R. Manchester, and family, having returned from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Chase of Newport.

Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Sisson are to have as guests at Christmas their son, Mr. George Sisson; their niece, Miss Lusanna Allen; their nephew and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. S. Allen, with Miss Florence Allen; their niece, Mrs. William Rimmer, and Mr. Rimmer and two children of Fall River; Mr. and Mrs. George A. Carter and Mr. and Mrs. William Almy and two children. They will celebrate with a tree.

Mr. Edward M. Harris, Jr., who died in Providence recently, was a nephew of Miss Sarah J. Eddy.

Mr. Elliott Anthony and Mr. Abner P. Lawton have concluded their engagement in road building in Massachusetts, and after a fortnight's vacation are going to Florida to assist in the same hotel as last winter.

Mrs. Mary Francis and her children, John and James, will spend Christmas in Fall River with relatives.

PERSONALS.

....Andrew Carnegie has given $20,000 toward a $200,000 fund being raised by Middlebury College. One half of the fund is for an endowment and the rest will be used for building a chemical laboratory.

....The eve of Christmas week brought good cheer to the several hundred men who through the year take care of the lawns, paths and shrubbery of Central Park, New York. Just before dusk Mrs. Russell Sage drove up in her automobile to the arsenal in the park and delivered to Park Commissioner Stover a box tied with ribbon. In the box were 327 envelopes, each containing a $5 gold piece, one for every park employe whose pay does not exceed $2 a day. Mrs. Sage has made similar gifts to the men at Christmas time for several years.

....Evidence taken before the tax appraiser indicates that the estate of Vice President James S. Sherman will be at least $400,000 and probably somewhat larger. The estate consists entirely of stocks, bonds and securities, as the real estate is all in Mrs. Sherman's name. It was testified that on Mr. Sherman's fifty eighth birthday, a short time before his death, he gave each of his sons $1,000, and told them that on election day when he went to vote he would give each one $10,000, but he did not live until election day. It was testified that Mr. Sherman on numerous occasions had given members of his family large sums of money and considerable blocks of stock in enterprises in which he was interested.

....The death of Princess Agnes Salm-Salm brought to an end a most romantic career. She was the daughter of an American colonel named Leclercq and was born at Baltimore, on Christmas day, 1840. In her youth she gained some renown as an actress and then she married Prince Felix Salm in 1862. The prince was a soldier of fortune. He served first in the German and then in the Austrian army, on leaving which he came to the United States and joined the Union army during the Civil war, rising to the rank of brigadier general. After the conclusion of the war he went to Mexico and became aide-de-camp to Emperor Maximilian, but went back to Germany and joined the Prussian army on the outbreak of the Franco-Prussian war in 1870. He was killed at the battle of Gravelotte. The princess accompanied her husband through all his campaigns and in the Franco-Prussian war served as a hospital nurse and was decorated with the Iron Cross for bravery. After the war she married Charles Heneage in 1876.

A CHRISTMAS QUOTATION.

[Henry Van Dyke.]

Are you willing to stoop down and consider the needs and desires of little children; to remember the weakness and loneliness of people who are growing old; to stop asking how much friends love you, and to ask yourself whether you love them enough; to bear in mind the other things that other people have to bear in their hearts; to try to understand what those who live in the same house with you really want without waiting for them to tell you; to trim your lamp so that it will give you more light and less smoke, and to carry it in front so that your shadow will fall behind you; to make a grave for your ugly thoughts, and a garden for your kindly feelings with the gate open—are you willing to do these things for a day? Then you can keep Christmas.

ONE APPLICATION MADE.

None of the Ninth Kansas Cavalry Members Drawing a Pension.

TOPEKA, Kansas, Dec. 23—That not one member of the Ninth Kansas cavalry, one of the state's most active regiments in the Civil war, is drawing a pension developed upon receipt of a letter by state officials from H. B. Lapham of Lorton, Va., a member of the regiment. Lapham wrote that when he applied for a pension recently he was notified by the officials that no other member of the regiment had ever drawn a pension, that he was the first to make application and that he would have to induce five other members to apply before the consideration of granting pensions could be taken up. Information regarding surviving members of the regiment is being sought by Lapham.

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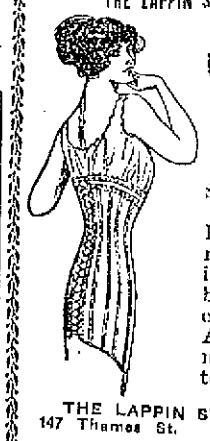

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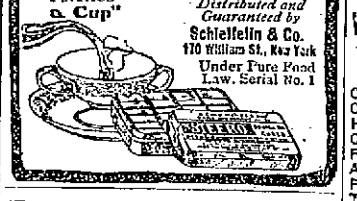

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MIDDLETOWN.

Christmas Tree Festival, With Address and Santa Claus, at the Berkeley Chapel.

[Regular Correspondence of The News]

The Christmas tree festival of the Berkeley Memorial Chapel was held at the parish house Monday evening, with a good attendance. The exercises opened with the singing of the hymn, "Oh Come, all ye faithful." The rector, Rev. Latta Griswold, read the second chapter of the Gospel of St. Luke, regarding the birth of Christ, after which prayers were said, followed by the hymn, "O Little town of Bethlehem!" This concluded the religious service and the following program was conducted by the Sunday School, having been prepared by Mrs. J. Willis Peckham.

Carol, "Softly fall the snowflakes;" recitations, "Merry Christmas," Orrel Smith; "For Christmas day," Lizzie Clarke Hart; "Perhaps", Amy Demerest; "Christmas Eve", Dorothy Champlin Peckham; "A Christmas Carol," Katie Smith; carol by Sunday School, "Carol, sweetly carol;" duet, "Holes in their stockings," Lizzie C. Hart and Philip Mason Peckham; "The Christmas Star," Beatrice Hazard; "The Coming of the King", Martha Smith; Carol, "Wonderful Night."

As no Christmas entertainment at the Berkeley is complete without the presence of Rev. John H. Dinan, his remarks were listened to with interest and pleasure. He had been housed at St. George's School for four days, as the result of a touch of the grip, but made a great effort to be present. His brief talk carried the listeners back over the 24 years of Christmas festivals of this parish, during which he had been a member commencing at the home of Mrs. Joseph B. Albro and continuing at the home of Professor John T. Huntington, "Music Hall," on Green End avenue, now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hazard and family; St. George's School, and for the past few years at the Berkeley parish house, where the large, high auditorium furnished room and good conditions for a social evening.

The Berkeley Band (since disbanded) was spoken of with regret, as having been a good local institution which should not have been allowed to die out. The passing of the old-fashioned idea of going to Tiverton for greens, and the gathering at Mrs. Alfred Hazard's and Music Hall to "make" them, was also regretted as one of the features which brought the people of the parish closer together.

Sleigh bells having been heard in the distance, the door was opened to admit the approaching Santa Claus, who soon entered bearing his stock. Words of introduction and greeting were followed by a distribution of gifts, the following having won prizes of books for regular attendance at Sunday School the past year: Katie Smith, Dorothy C. Peckham, Amy Demerest, Russell Morgan Peckham, Charles Smith, John Demery.

The departure of Santa Claus was followed by the serving of ice cream and cake and each guest received a cornucopia of candy.

A prettily trimmed tree occupied a conspicuous position at the head of the hall, which had been decorated by Mrs. J. Willis Peckham and Mrs. Ida Calvert.

Mr. Arthur Roberts, a master at St. George's School and one of the teachers at the Sunday School, spoke briefly of his pleasure at being present and of his desire that the children should attend regularly.

A social hour followed, with dancing, Miss Marie Vanicek and Miss Winnie Bell Peckham acting as pianists.

The committee on the gifts and refreshments were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patterson of Newport, who, although removed in recent years from the neighborhood, have retained a strong interest in all that pertains to the chapel.

Mr. Edward P. Lake of Newport, the chapel organist, acted as pianist during the singing of the hymns and carols.

The Christmas exercises at the Oliphant school were attractive and included a school song "Twinkle Again," and a hymn, "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing." Two pleasing dialogues were given, the first called "Christmas Eve," in which the 14 characters represented fairies and brownies, with Clifford Champlin as Santa Claus. The second was entitled "Santa Claus's Visit to Fairyland," and included 16 children in addition to the part of Santa Claus, which was taken by George Peabody. The three special songs, "Away," "The Coming of Santa Claus" and "Good Night, Father," were sung by the characters.

The program was followed by a distribution of presents from a well laden Christmas tree, while two of the oldest girls passed candy in long trays. There was an attendance of 40 visitors, chairs from the Holy Cross guild house being borrowed for the occasion. The blackboard bore a variety of stenciled Santa Claus scenes, and the words "Merry Christmas" and "Peace on Earth," above which was a star.

The Christmas program at the Witherbee school was unlike those presented usually and comprised Christmas carols, the reading of original compositions on Christmas and the telling of the story of Christmas. There was also an exchange of gifts. The blackboards bore drawings of Santa Claus and were ornamented with stars.

Thes ides of the roads have been cleared of bushes in many places. To guard against damage several culverts have been raised and widened.

A winter recess is being taken by St. Columba's Guild, which will resume its meetings in January with the annual election of officers.

Special services will be held at the Berkeley Chapel Christmas day.

Mr. William Augustus Peckham of Harvard College is at home for the holidays.

Miss Juliette Schwartz has returned from an extended visit in Newport.

Mr. Frank Silvia, accompanied by Mr. C. Leroy Grinnell and Mr. John Smith, motored to Boston for the day Monday.

LIFE IN ABRAHAM'S OLD HOME.

[Christian Herald.]

Among these wild deserts Arab life is as primitive as in Abraham's time. Sheep are still slain to seal a vow. The salt or bread covenant is observed, and when a man dies his tent is torn down and destroyed. Old names like Joseph, Moses, Alexander, etc., are still in common use among Arabs, though pronounced "Yusuf," "Musa" and "Skandar." To divorce his wife a man may repeat the formula "Ent telek" three times; usually saying it once makes the woman behave, and its final repetition is not necessary. The "evil eye" superstition is common, and the first injunction given a visiting foreigner by experienced Arabian travelers is that he must not point at animals or persons in Arab settlements. Arabs say a man gifted with this malign power can look at a bird flying in the air and that it will drop dead; that if he chooses to cast his wicked spell on a camel, it may go lame, or a child so selected will be struck blind. None of the lower class can read or write, but the Arab is noted for his ready wit and his habit of speaking in allegory.

THE INFANT CHRIST.

[Rev. Joseph Cooper.]

'Tis Christmas time!What holy memories
Crowd the avenues of thought!
What scenes of yore come floating in
Upon our dreams! The long ago
Seems but as yesterday. We are a part
Of all that was. Right through the
Drift of years we stand and gaze
With shepherd boy upon the infant Christ.
We watch the virgin's face
Pale with the secret of the ages.
We see the patient oxen munching
In their stalls, the awe-struck faces
Peering in at open door. O the wonder
And the beauty of it all! The one
Great night of all the growing years!
The conflux of the ages met in
Lowly Bethlehem! The Past is there
With fretted times indenting hoary
Countenance. The youthful Present laughs
Its joy of anticipation. The unseen Future
Tugs at the event as though to hasten
The glory yet to be. The tiny spring
A-trickling down the face of hillside
Deepens to a mighty river to overflow
The world. The beam of dawning light
Lit by God's love that far off
Christmas day, now like a full-orbed
Sun warms the heart of all humanity.
The infant Christ is now the
World's Redeemer, Friend, Hero and
Comrade of all the good. Millions
Pay homage at His shrine. The ripest
Thought of earth's noblest sons
Weaves diadems for His brow
Singers of sweetest songs His
Praises lift to highest melody.
Poets in their rapture look upon
His face in awe and whisper low:
"The Crystal Christ." Artists
On the patient canvas strive to paint
The Rose of Sharon with His visage marred.
To see Him with the soul's eyes
Is to love Him. To feel His touch upon
Our hearts is to be ourselves new born.
'Tis always Christmas day when
He comes near.

A CHRISTMAS CAROL.

[Richard Arnold Greene, in Christian Herald.]

Be patient, Christian brothers
Encompassed with its radiance
The foemen's ranks be torn;
Blush all the fields of snow.
Take heart for daily duty;
Face frigid blasts of scorn;
The Sun of Peace is risen;
The Saviour Christ is born.

Be strong, O Christian brothers!
The dawn with rapture thrills;
In robes of tender glory
Stand forth the eternal hills.
The strength of God will triumph,
The eastern sky's aglow;
Mount Sion shines resplendent;
The Saviour Christ is born.

Be true, O Christian brothers!
Clear is the Christmas sky;
Soft canopied beneath it,
How white the snow fields lie!
Give welcome, hearts discouraged,
By strife with error worn;
The Truth Himself is with us;
The Saviour Christ is born.

Be loving, Christian brothers
With holly bough caressed
The evergreen unbendeth,
In children's service blessed,
Let love light banish shadows,
The rose displace its thorn;
The King of Love is with us;
The Saviour Christ is born.

WHAT SANTA DID.

[Lippincott's.]

'Twas the night before Christmas, and Jacob and Gretchen
Lay snug in their bed in the Dornhoefer kitchen.
Not a sound save the song that the gay cricket sings,
And a faint, sleepy murmur, "Top kickin' my shins."
Could be heard in the Dornhoefer kitchen that night,
But there by the fire, in the moon's silver light,
In a short, straggling row lay four queer little shoes,
Left there for the jolly Kris Kingle to use.

Then suddenly Gretchen sat up with a start
And rubbed Jacob's eyes (you can't tell them apart,
Those Dornhoefer twins, in the brightest daylight,
So how could poor Gretchen be sure in the night?)
And they laughed as they thought of the words Santa'd use,
For they'd hidden a mouse-trap in each of their shoes.

Well, Santa Claus came, and the mouse trap went slam,
And Santa said something that sounded like "sham;"
And the Moon said she saw just the strangest of things;
'Twas Santa Claus spanking the Dornhoefer twins.

FANCIES.

Now unto the cost of living
Comes the added cost of giving;
Still, let's all be of good cheer,
Christmas comes but once a year.
—[Boston Transcript.

Some people do their Christmas shopping surly.—[Philadelphia Record.

Discretion is the better part of valets.—[Philadelphia Record.

A Christmas carol—"Then Yule remember me."—[Philadelphia Record.

"What is this?" asked Maude; "a dance program?"

"No," replied Mamie; "that's a map showing exactly where the mistletoe is located."—[Washington Star.

The agitation over the smoke nuisance will probably be resurrected with the Christmas cigar.—[Philadelphia Record.

"Wife done all her Christmas shopping yet?"

"Oh, yes; last month. Now she's started to buy a few things."—[Detroit Free Press.

"How are they getting along?"

"Beautifully. She's perfectly willing to spend as much on gifts for his people as she does for her own."—[Detroit Free Press.

Bilton—Well, old man, are you going to hang up your socks this Christmas?

Tilton (sadly)—No; my dress suit.—[Lippincott's.

"Have you made up your mind to give any Christmas presents this year?"

"I have already done my share toward giving something useful," replied Mr. Titus Wadsworth. "I gave a man change for a $5 bill."—[Washington Star.

"Can't I induce you to join the Society for the Prevention of Useless Giving?" asked the social worker.

"What would be the advantage?" answered father. "Useful gifts cost just just as much as any others."—[Buffalo Express.

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To dispense rather than to receive, to scatter abroad in preference to gathering in, to give and not to take—this is becoming more and more in this twentieth century the essence of the Christmas feeling. Nearly two thousand years ago the first Christmas came as a gracious gift to all mankind, and through the recurring anniversaries there has been spreading and strengthening the spirit of Christmas giving—from the standpoint of the giver rather than the receiver of gifts. More rapidly than ever before the whole world is coming to realize from its own experience that it is indeed "more blessed to give than to receive." Could we all of us be givers, and none of us receivers—impossible paradox—might we not then attain the ideal, the perfect, Christmas observance?

THE PARCELS POST ON THIS ISLAND.

No one yet knows the full possibilities of the parcels post, which is to go into effect in this country on the first day of January, and it is probable that most of us will be surprised to learn as the system is developed the many uses to which it can be put to the mutual advantage of purchasers and dealers. There, however, are two particular ways in which it would seem as though it could be made to work in this community and adjacent towns. Why should not the farmers of the island use the new system to send their products to consumers in this city? Why should not the storekeepers here employ the same agency to send supplies to those who reside in the island towns? Under the law governing the operation of the parcels post there is no difficulty in the way apparently of this mutual arrangement for bringing producers and consumers nearer together, with greatly increased advantage to both.

It may seem to some as though such a plan were impracticable, in spite of the fact that it is possible under the statute creating the parcels post. Such persons apparently are not familiar with the operation of similar laws abroad, where almost every sort of merchandise is sent to purchasers by this means. It is, in fact, in those countries possible to use this agency much more fully than here, because with us a limit is set to the size and weight of the packages shipped, with which the people abroad are not bothered. Over there a regular business of the sort here suggested is carried on between farmers and city patrons, which is worked up by advertising and maintained by shipping fresh and wholesome meats, poultry, vegetables, milk, butter and other products. Thus it is as easy for country producers to find and cater to city customers as it is for the dealers themselves to find and supply purchasers with the articles they have for sale. No more difficulty would be experienced by our city merchants in sending goods to customers in the country than in supplying those closer at hand, as the parcels post would relieve them of all the trouble and much of the expense of delivery.

Such a mutual arrangement as this would result in bigger business for merchants, while for customers it ought to mean a reduction in the cost of living, eliminating the middleman, and also provide a constant supply of fresh provisions without trouble or delay. In both cases the telephone would naturally furnish the medium of communication to a considerable extent, the mails would serve equally well except in case of urgent demand. It would be well for the merchants of this city and the farmers in the island towns to study the possibilities of the parcel post from this point of view, if they have not already done so, and ascertain if they cannot make it of much advantage to both classes in their business relations.

ATTACKING WEALTH.

For 20 years and more a certain class of politicians and of newspapers have been keeping up a constant war on rich men. Everything has been done to give the impression that the great capitalists are brutal, lawless, oppressive and little better than highwaymen, while using more refined and therefore more effective means of acquiring the property of other people. This has been more noticeable in the past 20 years—the more rich men there are in the country the easier it seems to be to stir up hostility to them—but the movement goes back to the Civil war, when the payment of the bondholders in gold was seized upon by the ignorant and the more or less demagogic as an excuse for attacking them. Elderly persons can remember the bitterness with which the "bloated bondholder" used to be stigmatized.

The controversy over silverism extended and deepened this animosity to capital. All the financial interests were on the side of the single and the existing monetary standard. The silverites therefore denounced the "gold bugs" and described capitalists as usurers, oppressors and robbers. In parts of the country where commercial interests are very slight it has always been popular to fling opprobrious epithets at banks, and especially at brokers, and to represent that in some mysterious way the exchanges are wringing the life blood out of the community.

Of course to these elements J. P. Morgan was the "head devil" of the whole capitalistic conspiracy against the rest of us, all of whom would be rich if he and his friends had not secured all the money. If any man did not succeed it was because Morgan and the Money Power wouldn't give him a chance. New Morgan has been before a Democratic committee hunting for the Money Power, and has proved a disappointment. He does not seem to be a pirate. He seems to be a pretty decent sort of citizen, with an immense capacity for a class of business which most of us could not do at all, but which we are all benefited by having done. Some of the Western and Southern Congressmen are reputed to have some doubts now about the Money Power, and to be less confident than they were that Morgan is in the habit of reducing people to beggary in order to distend his ill-gotten wealth. Of course the hunt will go on, but Morgan's appearance on the witness stand has taken a good deal of the enthusiasm out of the hunters.

THE COCKED HAT AND THE GIBBET.

About five years ago Governor Wilson was wishing there was some dignified and effective way of knocking Bryan into a cocked hat. On a recent evening he declared with great warmth that any man who tries to bring about a panic ought to be hanged upon a gibbet as high as Haman's. Now there is some curiosity—and anxiety—to know whether Wilson designs Bryan for the cocked hat or the gibbet.

Since the proposition of the Democrats more than 40 years ago to pay off the national bonds in irredeemable paper—in greenbacks—the public credit has received no such shock as it did 16 years ago, when Bryan was nominated for the Presidency on a platform pledging the party to open the mints to the free coinage of silver, which would have reduced the money unit about one half instantly and have caused every dollar of gold in the country to be withdrawn from monetary use and treated as bullion. A large part of the Democrats protested against any such ruinous policy and while a few of them voted for Palmer and Buckner many of them voted for McKinley.

Bryan's opinions have never changed. He says so, and he has given no evidence to the contrary. He believes in silverism and cheap money as much as ever. He believes in flat money, for if the coin derives its value from the stamp upon it the same must be true of the note. It is reasonable to suppose that he believes in irredeemable paper money. It is reported—and it seems plausible—that he does not care to be Secretary of State but would like to be Attorney General or Secretary of the Treasury.

Three times the country has defeated Bryan for President because it repudiates his financial notions. What would be the effect of his appointment as Secretary of the Treasury? Would it not cause a panic? If so, which should go to the gibbet as high as Haman's, Wilson or Bryan? Or would it be necessary to execute Governor Wilson's sentence of death upon panic producers by operating upon both of them? The country may have more reason than ever Wilson had for wishing that Bryan could be knocked into a cocked hat.

A proposal to eliminate the negro as an American soldier will be an interesting topic for consideration when a conference of the ranking officers of the army is held in Washington early next month. Officers favoring the project are prepared to urge it on the ground that in the Philippines the natives are said to resent the appearance among them of the negro troopers, and that there are signs of dissatisfaction in Hawaii owing to the fact that the Twenty-fifth infantry, a negro organization, has been ordered to the islands to form a permanent garrison. Friends of the negro soldiers will cite their record in Cuba and in the Philippines.

Turkey, convinced at last that practically all her European territory is forever lost to her, is now formulating a demand for idemnity. It is probably that the Porte will ask for $175,000,000 from the allies as compensation for the loss of her provinces. This is practically the amount of the Turkish public debt. Will she get it?

As President Taft will spend Christmas at the Panama canal, the inhabitants of the zone have arranged a hearty welcome, with a ball at night given by President Porras and a dinner by the American minister. That will be at least a novel Christmas.

Governor-elect Sulzer of New York will have no parade attending his inaugural, saving the state $2,000, which the customary military demonstration has cost. A fresh illustration of Democratic economy.

The Wilson family will not need to go buying on Christmas day. Four turkeys, one weighing 43 pounds, and a barrel of oysters are among their gifts, and there is yet time for more.

The true Christmas spirit—good will to men. If this should prevail everywhere, among all conditions of men, there would indeed be peace on earth.

He who waited for the last day to shop waited for his discomfiture.

There will be no lack of snow for Christmas.

THE MAGAZINES.

Striking among the features of the January Century is the first instalment of "T. Tembarom," Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett's new novel of America and England. Her theme is a New York newsboy of the waif class who, after he has pulled himself up by sheer grit to the position of reporter, learns that he is heir to a magnificent estate in England. The "After-the-War" feature deals with the impeachment of Andrew Johnson, Gaillard Hunt, chief of the bureau of manuscripts in the Library of Congress, writing of Johnson's defense, and Major Benjamin C. Truman, who was the President's secretary, contributing many personal anecdotes. Both articles are made up of much personal detail.

What Giulio Gatti-Casazza, manager of the Metropolitan Opera House, thinks of "opera in English," the future of American opera and other topics of operatic interest, are contained in an article likely to attract attention. Robert Bruce Fuller contributes a pointed article on "American Waterways and the 'Pork Barrel,'" in which he describes the effect of political graft on American river and harbor improvements, and contrasts the American way of improving waterways with the efficient systems in use in European countries. "American and Turk in Holy War" is the title of a study of contrasts in which William T. Ellis compares Sheik ul Islam with the Rev. S. M. Zwemer, D. D., the militant missionary who is Islam's open foe.

The novelette in the January Lippincott is "Tropicania," a stirring tale of love and valor in South America. The man who wrote it, Will Levington Comfort, also wrote "Fate Knocks at the Door" and "Routledge Rides Alone." Neither in theme nor in treatment does it in any wise resemble the usual run of adventure stories. There's a generous allotment of short stories in the number and also another Russian "Short-Story Masterpiece"—"Comrades," by Maxim Gorky.

Forbes Lindsay, traveller and lecturer, tells some startling things in "The Menace of China's Development." According to him, there is a very real Yellow Peril, notwithstanding it is not a warlike one. Edward Sherwood Mead, financial expert, writes of "The Investor and the Gold Supply," giving facts of moment to every investor, great or small. Dr. Mead also conducts the magazine's financial department, "Investments."

OYSTERS AS FLESH BUILDERS.

[Professor Julius Nelson, of Rutgers College, in Leslie's.]

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W. A. COGGESHALL, Cashier.
Newport, R. I., December 14, 1912.

NOTICE.

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AROUND RHODE ISLAND.

Providence Common Council Approves Salaries Raise, in Two Instalments.

Irregularities in Highway Department Reported—Three-Man School Commission Killed.

After discussing it nearly three hours, the Providence common council at 2 o'clock this morning passed the salary ordinance calling for raises in pay for city employes as sent down from the board of aldermen, after amending it to make the raise come in two sections, five per cent January 6, 1913, and five per cent more October 1, 1913. The fight over the passage of the ordinance came when it was reported to the council from the finance committee, to which it had been sent expressly for the purpose of considering a raise for the police department. In its report the finance committee made no mention of the police department. The board of aldermen, according to the ordinance as passed by the council, will receive the raise of $500, doubling their present salaries, but it will come in two sections, $250 January 6 and the remaining $250 October 1. The same applies to the council members. Councilman Fairchild made a valiant fight to have the clause calling for the salary increases for the aldermen and councilmen stricken from the ordinance, but his motion was voted down on a roll-call, 28 to 10.

Legal action to recover several thousand dollars alleged to have been improperly paid out by the highway department, proceedings in perjury against one man, and a sweeping order to discharge all men in the department who have not the full right of citizenship are recommended in the report of the "graft" probe committee appointed to investigate conditions in the department of public works of Providence. The report, in the form of resolutions, was presented to the common council Monday evening, but was not reached in the routine proceedings, and accordingly action was not taken. The committee, according to its report, has found from the evidence introduced in the several hearings it conducted that Raeffaele Romano had been carried on the pay roll of the highway department for a number of years, while he was conducting a farm, and that former Superintendent J. Henry Field failed to take steps to remove Romano from the payroll. The committee reports that the amounts paid to Romano probably totaled to $4,000 and that Walter F. Slade, commissioner of the public works department, informed the inquiry body that he was to blame, as "the case got by him." Further asserting that it bases its findings on evidence introduced, the committee recommends that John F. O'Brien, formerly acting superintendent of the Highway Department, be discharged on the grounds of gross carelessness and neglect. In the case of Lorenza Fera, accused of having received certain sums of money for obtaining positions for men in the ranks of the street sweepers of the city, it is recommended that the city solicitor be directed to take legal action to the end that Fera be prosecuted on the charge of perjury.

The Providence common council, by an overwhelming vote, temporarily killed the proposition to abolish the school committee by the adoption of a three-man commission. Following vigorous opposition by several of the councilmen, it was voted, with only one dissenting voice, to re-commit to the joint committee on ordinances the resolution directing the city solicitor to secure legislation providing for the establishment of a commission of three men to control the school department. The vote also included instruction to hold a public hearing on the proposed measure. Assertions that the drastic changes advocated in the resolution would result in another form of "taxation without representation" were made, and it was declared that the establishing of the proposed system would rob the people of the city, especially the registry voters, of the right to have their say in the administration of the schools.

In an "automatic" interview, a process invented by Charles A. Wilson, chairman of the Republican state central committee, that official has given out his belief regarding the present system of party selection of judges for the state courts. Mr. Wilson has struck a novelty in his method of interviewing for the press, the statement he gave out consisting of a series of questions and answers prepared by that gentleman himself. While Mr. Wilson's statement is not definite it is gathered that he is to present the name of a Democrat to be elected to one of the higher state courts; in fact, he declares that he favors the election of a member of that party either to the superior or supreme court. Incidentally he states that the present system of "party" selection is "not fair or good."

Rev. Henry A. MacColl, for several years pastor of the Broadway United Presbyterian Church in Providence, who left two years ago to go to St George's Church, East London, South Africa, has concluded his services there. According to the East London Daily Dispatch of November 15, which has just arrived in this country, a farewell reception was extended to him in conjunction with the home-coming of the regular pastor of the church, whose place Rev. Mr. MacColl had been filling. He will engage in other ministries in that country for a time.

By a vote of 34 to 3, the Providence common council Monday evening voted to grant to the Rhode Island Power Transmission Company a 20-year franchise under which to do business in that city. The vote was reached after almost three hours of discussion, during which practically the whole of the lengthy document was read.

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The usual Semi-Annual Dividend at the rate of 4 per cent per annum, will be paid to the Depositors on and after January 15, 1913.

GEORGE H. PROUD, Treasurer.
Newport, R. I., Dec. 24, 1912.

New England Commercial Bank.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders will be held Tuesday, January 7th, 1913, at three o'clock, P. M.

A semi-annual dividend will be paid to the Stockholders on and after January 2d, 1913.

N. UNDERWOOD, Cashier.
Dec. 24, 1912.

NOTICE.

Special Stockholder Meeting, Jamestown & Newport Ferry Co.

A meeting of the stockholders of the above company will be held at their office in Jamestown, R. I., on Dec. 28th, 1912, at 1 P. M., for the purpose of releasing a portion of land on the wharf of the above company at Newport to be used as a police station site.

ALVIN H. PECKHAM, Secretary.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the National Exchange Bank of Newport, R. I. For the election of directors, and for such other business that may lawfully come before said meeting, will be held at their banking rooms, 38 Washington square, Tuesday, January 14, 1913, at 3 o'clock P. M.

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Members of Courts Wanton and Pride of the City are invited to attend.

of the City are invited to attend. M. J. Burns, Chief Ranger.

THE NEWPORT JOURNAL is especially adapted for mailing.

THE WEATHER.

BOSTON, Dec. 24.—Forecast for Boston and vicinity—Snow today and tonight; Wednesday fair, high easterly to northerly winds shifting to moderate, westerly winds.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

The southern storm moved northnight and is now central off Hatteras, where the barometer is 29.54 inches. Increasing northeasterly winds prevail along the coast, thence northward, with rain and snow in moderate amounts. The heaviest amounts were Wilmington 1.03, Macon, 1.84, Montgomery, Ala., 2.08 inches. Temperatures are higher than yesterday in South Atlantic states and near normal in other districts east of the Rockies. In Boston at 8 a. m. it was 32, New York 28, Washington 28, New Orleans 42, Denver 34 and San Francisco 42.

J. W. Smith,
Forecast Official.

LOCAL CONDITIONS.

	8 h	12 h	2 h
Temperature	29	32	28
Barometer	30.02	Lower	—
Wind	W	N E	N W
Weather	Snow	Snow	Snow

MINIATURE CALENDAR.

Tuesday, December 24.
Sun rises 7 10. Sun sets 4 20.
Moon rises 4 45 p. m.
Day's length 9 hours 10 minutes.
Day's decrease 6 hours 00 minutes.
High water 7 25 a. m. 7 55 p. m.

Wednesday, December 25.
Sun rises 7 10. Sun sets 4 20.
Moon rises 5 01 p. m.
Day's length 9 hours 10 minutes.
Day's decrease 6 hours 00 minutes.
High water 8 15 a. m. 8 45 p. m.

Thursday, December 26.
Sun rises 7 11. Sun sets 4 21.
Moon rises 7 21 p. m.
Day's length 9 hours 10 minutes.
Day's decrease 6 hours 00 minutes.
High water 9 07 a. m. 9 37 p. m.

Friday, December 27.
Sun rises 7 11. Sun sets 4 22.
Moon rises 8 40 p. m.
Day's length 9 hours 11 minutes.
Day's increase 0 hours 01 minute.
High water 10 00 a. m. 10 31 p. m.

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Last quarter Dec. 30th, 3:08 p. m.

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BORN.

BARKER—At the Newport Hospital, Dec. 23, a son, Stephen Congdon Barker, to Mrs. Stephen Congdon Barker of Middletown.

DIED.

GRAHAM—In this city, 23d inst., Richard D. Graham.

Funeral from his late residence, 36 Thames street, Wednesday, Dec. 25, at 2:45 p. m., to St. Joseph's Church at 3:30. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Member of Lands End Lodge, 1049, Loyal Order of Moose and also of the Foresters.

DUNWELL—In this city, 21st inst., at his residence 73 Bridge street, John W. Dunwell, aged 75 years.

Funeral services at his late residence, Thursday December 26, at 2 P. M. Relatives and friends are invited.

WINSLOE—Memorial service at Trinity Church, Newport, R. I., December 25, at 11:30 A. M., in memory of Baroness Edith von Winsloe, whose death occurred December 18, and who was buried December 20, at Bareilly, India, daughter of Mrs. Joseph F. Stone and widow of Major Edward von Winsloe.

WOOD—In Fall River, 23d inst., William Wood, in his 64th year.

SHERMAN—In Fall River, 22d inst., Sarah C., wife of Henry E. Sherman.

DUNN—In Fall River, 22d inst., John F. Dunn.

BLYTH—In Providence, 23d inst., Della Agnes, wife of David H. Blyth.

BELCHER—In Providence, 23d inst., Helen M., widow of Joseph H. Belcher, in her 78th year.

CHIPPERFIELD—In Providence, 23d inst., Laura Elizabeth, wife of Frank M. Chipperfield.

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THOS. R. CONGDON, Cashier.
Newport, R. I., December 14, 1912.

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We have wreaths from 15c up. Crosses from 20c up. Anchors for 20c each. Hearts 20c each. Laurel wreaths, Rustic wreaths, Box wreaths, Holly wreaths. Trimming for 5c per yard. Holly, Mistletoe and Immortelles.

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Traffic on Steam and Electric Roads Not Yet Affected, But Prospects Dubious.

Another mark must be made on the credit side of the Weather Man's account. The snow storm arrived, perhaps a trifle ahead of time, but it is no imitation. The northeast storm signal was ordered up Monday night, and it is still timely.

The snow began falling sometime in the night, about 3 o'clock seems to be the hour, but few were up to greet it. It is still falling, 12 hours later, and more is promised. It did not seem to snow very much during the first hours, but since daylight it has been coming down in good old-fashioned style. By 10:30 snow was measured seven and one half inches deep, and by noon it was eight inches. By this time the weight had begun to harden the early fall, which was extremely light, and it did not gain in height. There was also some drifting from noon on, and with the temperature hovering around the melting point it looked at times like rain, but the snow held on.

Those who remembered that old-time quotation, "A green Christmas makes a fat graveyard," were satisfied. Those who wished to see snow for Christmas were satisfied. The small boy and the small girl were satisfied. Everybody said it is seasonable weather, and so it is, but Monday was a much finer day.

Winter officially arived Saturday bout 11:45 p. m. It actually arrived this morning. So it is here theoretically and practically.

Before 8 o'clock the street railway companies manned their snowplows and sent them out on the lines, where they have been working since. There was nothing for them to do at first except to make a beginning, but as the hours rolled on the work became of more and more importance, though up to noon the cars were keeping good time. A measurement of the snow at that hour showed just eight inches on the level—and it was level, for there had been practically no wind. The first part of the fall had been light and feathery, followed by damper, but at noon the snow seemed to be finer, packing down more and there was evidence of a little wind coming up. The barometer was falling steadily.

Snow falling on the level has little terror for the car men, but wind means plenty of work, as the snow drifts readily out on the island and drifts are hard to fight. The Bay State had three plows out at noon and the big rotary, which was used three years ago, was ready to go out as soon as required.

As The News is going to press the wind is increasing, with a large amount of snow still falling. While at the barns the men say that the cars are still making good time, and no reports are coming in of trouble, it is with apprehension that they look at the weather. They expect at any time troublesome drifts to appear, and if the storm continues it will be very slow and questionable going out on the island tonight.

The steam cars were somewhat delayed by the snow. The 9 o'clock train was 30 minutes late and the 12:20 was 28 minutes late. The 11 o'clock was about on time.

The highway department had some men out this afternoon, clearing crossings and looking after eyeholes which need attention. The prospect that the snow would drift and the fact that it is still falling combined to defer general action in the way of clearing.

The storm was sufficient to make though Captain Anderson of steamer General said it was not bad on the trip down this morning and the City of Newport went to Providence as usual. Steamer New Shoreham came from Providence, but did not leave for the island.

Harbor Master Tom Shea did some hustling on account of the snow. A lighter was discovered in the track of the New York boat and was moved to a place of safety. There were two schooners which were rather close to the track, if the storm continues, and Captain Shea notified the officials of these, and also of a lighter just brought in by a tug and anchored to the northwest of Lime Rock. Generally things were so that one could not see much over the water.

It will be great for the small boy and girl with sleds for Christmas, and parents who have been in doubt can well invest in rubber boots—thehigh sort—for the little boys. Once it was a leather boot with red top; now pull-up rubber boots are the things for snow. They do not need so much tallow. The tallow is not available, either.

Some enterprising ones were out with sleds this morning, but the snow was so soft that an aeroplane seemed to be the proper sort of sled. It will be better tomorrow. Where heavy feet packed it this afternoon the snow was from one and one half to two and one half inches thick, and underneath the ground was absolutely dry.

Some shovelled the snow, others let the passing feet care for it. On Thames street the passing feet did well; in some other places a snowplow would have been appreciated.

The season for picking dandelion blossoms and seeing ferns and other things growing in the open is past. The season for noting each smooth coalhole cover, and the iron gratings which are so glib, and the sidewalks with too much pitch, and the places where spouts leak, and the sidewalks on which no ashes is sprinkled, is here.

Snow was desired to boom the Christmas trade, but this is rather too much. Besides, it looked as though the Christmas trade was well on to the end.

Three years ago tomorrow there was a real snowstorm, and while it had looked like a green Christmas things were pretty thoroughly clogged up with whiteness.

There is one thing about this weather—the dust does not blow. Monday there were some heavy exhibitions of dust work, and one blast up the Government Landing was especially noticeable; one could not see anything else. And the Government Landing just before that blast seemed about as free of dust as a place well could be. It was also a fine day to be near an ash barrel when the collector was emptying it.

MACHINISTS OBJECT TO NEW WAGE SCALE.

The local Machinists' Union at a meeting Monday evening objected to the new scale of wages, in so far as it affects machinists, which has been adopted for the Torpedo Station. It was arranged to send a protest to the Navy Department at Washington and to notify the international officers of the Machinists' Association, asking for a conference over the local situation.

TWO STEAMERS DISABLED.

General and Fort Adams Launch Both Have Trouble With Their Engines.

Steamer General of the Wickford line met with a mishap on her trip from here at 10 o'clock this morning. When off Gull rock her main shaft bearing refused to do further work and the boat came to a stop. She blew for aid and three launches put off from the Training Station and took her in tow. The wind favored and when she reached the vicinity of the Breakwater light, where perhaps the launches would not be able to handle her, she blew for tug Chickasaw of the Torpedo Station fleet, which went to her aid. Notice was also sent to Captain Champion and his big launch the H. M. Champion was also on hand to help dock her. The men from the repair shops went to work at once and it was hoped to have her ready to leave on the 4:05 trip this afternoon.

There were a dozen or 15 passengers on board on the interrupted trip, among them Mrs. Francis G. Morris. They took the 12:13 train out. A number went down Long wharf to take the 1:05 trip. Eight elected to take the trip across the bay to Wickford in the H. M. Champion, which carried the mails; the others took the 1:10 train out. It was a long walk from Thames street to the boat, 1,700 feet, a third of a mile. It seemed much longer back, because the snow was in one's eyes.

Fort Adams launch E. E. Downes is tied up to the old barge in the cove near the south dock at the fort. While approaching the wharf on the 10:30 trip this morning the engine became disabled and she was unable to reach the dock. The officer in command made the sunken barge and tied up the launch as much as possible in the lee of the storm.

None of the other Fort Adams boats were able to go to the assistance of the Downes, on account of their greater draft and the low water, and it was decided to await the making of temporary repairs. The boat is afloat, but unable to proceed under her own power, and is not in a dangerous position.

FUNERAL OF MRS. DENNIS MURPHY.

The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Murphy, widow of Dennis Murphy, took place this morning from St. Mary's Church, where a solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated by Father Tierney, assisted by Fathers Ryan and Hines. There was a large attendance of friends and acquaintances. The bearers, four grand children, were Patrick J. Walsh, Richard S. Walsh, John Walsh and James Walsh. The deceased had been a resident of Newport for the past 20 years, living on Young street, and had a large circle of acquaintances here. She was a native of Barehaven, County Cork, Ireland.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Barge H. H. Louge is at the Newport Coal Company's dock, with coal.

—Chief Gunner's Mate Charles P. Baldwin of battleship North Dakota is at home to spend Christmas with his family.

—Dr. Arthur W. Gash of Washington is spending his Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Gash.

—Mrs. M. Anna Ford of the commercial department of the Rogers High School is spending her vacation in Washington.

—A. O'D. Taylor has sold for Mrs. Grace T. Gray her lot of land at the corner of Kay street and Cranston avenue, containing about 10,000 square feet, to Mr. Thomas Weaver of this city.

—Mr. John F. Dunn of Fall River, a grocer and for many years well known as a bass singer in that city, died at his home Sunday. He leaves eight children, one of whom, Mr. James H. Dunn, is a resident here.

—At the Christmas service at St. George's Church the choir will sing Clare's "Te Deum in G," Harker's "Jubilate Deo," Adams's Communion Service and Hayward's anthem, "Be Glad and Rejoice." Mr. John Hodgson, violinist, will assist.

—The State Board of Food and Drug Commissioners has made a ruling which goes in effect July 1, 1913, that any food, condiment, drink, confection or drug product not exactly what it purports to be shall be labeled "Imitation" in the same size and style of type as that bearing the name of the article and immediately preceding it.

—The committee on site for a police station held a meeting Monday evening. The plat of the Market Square section prepared by the city engineer was looked over. A communication was received from the Jamestown & Newport Ferry Company and a sub-committee was appointed to look into the matter of cost.

—Superintendent Lull finds that the space available for a display of the work of the Newport schools in the state Child Welfare exhibit has been reduced to one panel. He had prepared to fill several, as he understood there was space for such, showing work different from any from elsewhere, but apparently Providence has taken all the space.

—Tug Dresden, which tied up at Pfaniger & Manchester's dock this afternoon, reports that a lighter owned by the Eastern Dredging Company, which the tug was towing from Providence, turned turtle off Fort Adams and lost her deckload of machinery. No one was on board and the lighter was brought into the inner harbor and anchored.

—An old order is being enforced on the local cars. At Bull street and Franklin street the motormen are supposed to open the front doors for the exit of passengers, while those entering are supposed to use the rear doors as usual. Orders have been given for the operation of the old rule and when it is thought of it is done, but before it was forgotten in a short time.

—Madame Guran of the Guran troupe of acrobats is suffering from a sprained ankle, as the result of a tumble during her performance Monday afternoon. The right guy of the trapeze on which she was working gave way while she was head downward, and only by the cunning of acrobats was she able to turn in the air so as to escape falling on her head. She was rendered semi-conscious and assisted from the stage, but was back at work in the evening.

—The illuminating company's emergency station on Duke street will go out of commission tonight after the stores close. It has been maintained since Thursday night, so that in case there were any trouble with the electric lighting in the dry goods district men and appliances might be at hand to make prompt repairs. As usual when preparations are made for an emergency it did not happen. The merchants have felt easier, though, knowing that this year the company was watching for the unexpected.

ALMOST COMPLETELY BURIED.

Postoffice Force Handling Avalanche of Mail in a Heavy Snowstorm.

Still Coming in Fast and Much Will be Delayed Until After Christmas.

The postoffice force is about buried by the avalanche of mail, and while the men may be expected to dig themselves out the public will need to give them time. There has been no let-up in the amount of matter received and the conditions for sending it out are very much worse. One often reads or comments upon the various public service men who must patrol their beats or make their tours in all kinds of weather, but few consider the work of the letter carrier in such a connection. Just at present he must go under a load which would stagger him, even without the plodding through heavy snow. Monday the men who were not provided with wagons by the government or out of their own pockets had motorcycles and bicycles upon which to rest a portion of their burden, but these are out of it today. More wagons have been hired, and the postmen must do more of the packhorse act.

There was this morning the same glut of packages in various conditions of destruction, owing to careless packing. Every available bit of floor space was used as a sorting table and the forenoon was about gone before the carriers started from the office, leaving behind quantities of mail which arrived after the early morning.

It became apparent quite early in the day that the local office must follow the example of many others and put aside post cards for delivery at some future date. The cards were coming in thousands lots and big stacks were not slow in collecting. Where they all come from seems a problem, but they are coming and if those now arriving were for New Year's instead of Christmas they would be more appropriate for the time of receipt. Letters and Christmas presents are receiving the first effort, but if the latter continue to come as they have been it looks as if some of these must be left for delivery after Christmas, for it is bound to be a hard day for the carriers tomorrow.

The railroad postoffice lines are not beginning to work the matter received at every station and the result is that quantities of stuff is being carried through to terminal points, to be sent back again hours later, and thus delayed in reaching the offices for which it is intended. While the local office did not really need the 30 sacks of mail which came on the 9 o'clock train to keep it busy, it was an hour late in arriving. The train was half an hour late because of the storm, and then more time was lost by a failure to observe orders of the local yard. When the train pulled in some one failed to have the mail car pulled into position where it could be discharged, and as a result the driver of the mail wagon was obliged to leave it to take out another mail, so that it was just an hour late in reaching the office.

Christmas day the carriers will make one delivery and the office will observe holiday hours, but whatever the appearances may be on the outside it will be a full day for most of the employes, especially the carriers.

FOLK DANCES REVIVED.

Exhibition of Festivities in London Theatre That Would Grace a Village Green.

While Americans are seeking to banish the "bunny hug" and "turkey trot", English people are busy reviving Morris dancing and old folk dances, and society is taking to them. Of course, they ought to be seen in the open, but that is impossible in London, and recently the folk dance society gave an exhibition at the Savoy, where the jolly human patterns weaved in and out against a white curtain.

No village green could give you just that effect of statuesque beauty—the dancers seen in the round, every curve and motion clear-cut on the pale background. The dancers were young men and women, and they danced as though they would never be old, with vigorous, downright rhythm that sent its pleasure through the house. The young men wore white flannels and the young women short frocks of dark electric blue, and when they all swirled round to the thin throb of the music the white and the blue made delightful contrasts and designs. There was an old English simplicity and earnestness in the dancing; it was even more athletic than it was beautiful.

The strangest of the dances was the men's sword dance from Flamborough in Yorkshire. It has a wild jig of a tune in it, a tune that rushes round and round like savages about a fire, and the strapping young fellows danced it joyously with flourishes of long wooden swords. They became more and more breathless, until a good shout seemed a proper thing to end with. One felt that this dance goes back a long way, and it was easy to believe the theory of its origin in the sacrificial rites and dance intoxications of a Yorkshire before history. The other sword dance was more sedate. It had a chorus, sung by a man who placed the stage and called the dancers out one by one in a sort of robust chant. The swords were woven into a pattern as the dancers turned and crossed. In between the dances there were old country songs—far too good these to be buried in antiquarian books.

After all, why should we not see these things on the village green? The dances are not difficult to learn, and they need no expensive costumes. One hopes that the people who are busy reviving village life will not forget these native festivities, for although they may begin as an artificial growth they are so close to English life that they should soon strike root again.

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Rubber Boots	$2.50 and $3.50
Skating Shoes	2.00
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High Storm Shoes	2.00 & 2.50
Slippers	50c, 75c and 1.00

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It was the wish of Mrs. Goelet that the service be simple and the wish was complied with. However, the chancel of the church was filled with floral contributions from relatives and friends, but only those pieces which were sent by the family, with the exception of that given by the German embassy, consisting of white and red roses and lilies of the valley, were taken with the coffin to the cemetery. The flowers from the embassy were accompanied by German colors and the crown and monogram of Count J. H. von Bernstorff, German ambassador.

The choir filed into the church singing the processional. Following this a short prayer was said by Dr. Stires, and then the burial service was read. The choir sang, "I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say."

Dr. Babcock, who assisted Dr. Stires in the service is the head of an institution in Troy in which Mrs. Goelet was greatly interested. He was requested by the family of Mrs. Goelet to assist Dr. Stires.

The throng at Fifth avenue and Fifty-third street was dense when the body arrived at the church and during the service, but the police kept the approach to the church open and access to it was not interrupted.

PRESENTATION TO MRS. BARKER.

A number of friends of Mrs. James T. Barker, members of Emma Rebekah Lodge, No. 17, met at her home on Touro street Monday evening and presented to her a handsome emblematic ring, in commemoration of her three years service as treasurer. Mrs. Barker has been a member of the order 40 years and has held every office in the lodge. The presentation was made by Mrs. Emma Weaver. The visitors took refreshments with them.

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First, that the cost of the proposed road would be about $100,000,000.

Second, that existing railroad facilities between Buffalo and the Hudson river were adequate to take care of existing business and for a large increase in future traffic.

Third, that the cost of the proposed road would require a capitalization of $336,700 per mile, much larger than the capitalization of any railroad system in the country.

Fourth, that this capitalization would require earnings per mile of at least $48,100, if 5 per cent is to be earned on the amount invested.

Fifth, that to earn this sum would involve a traffic greatly in excess of the traffic of any railroad in the country.

Sixth, that the proposed road would not be able to forward its freight over its eastern connections at the Hudson river, since these are already overtaxed.

Seventh, that the proposed road does not contemplate any benefit to the public in the reduction of rates, and, eighth, that the applicant has not shown sufficient financial ability to justify issuing to it a certificate of public convenience and a necessity to construct a road costing $100,000,000.

If the public service commission of New York had been in existence 35 years ago, the unnecessary, costly and wasteful West Shore railroad, which was constructed for no other purpose than to divide traffic which the New York Central was handling with economy and despatch, would not have been authorized and a large amount of the reckless railroad construction west of the Mississippi, which bankrupted, for example, the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, the St. Louis & San Francisco, and assisted in breaking down the Northern Pacific, would not have been sanctioned.

The public service commission not only protects the investor against the inevitable consequences of competition where no necessity for the competing property exists, but it also secures his company in the right to charge such rates and fares as will yield a reasonable return on its securities.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Miss Romola Dahlgren is in town.

—The City Hall has been fitted with liquid soap and there is talk about individual drinking cups.

—Captain J. P. Cotton left Monday night for New York, to spend Christmas with his son, Mr. J. P. Cotton, Jr.

—Miss Elizabeth B. Smith left Monday evening to spend Christmas in Elizabeth, N. J., with her sister, Mrs. Ingraham.

—Miss Edith Hunter is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William R. Hunter, at the Dennen cottage.

—Professor and Mrs. William Brenton Greene are at "Sunny Lawn," to spend the holidays with Rev. Richard Arnold Greene.

—Officer Wilcox Monday night shot a dog which had been run over by an automobile and was so crippled that he was put out of suffering.

—Mr. and Mrs. Guy Norman will give a dinner and dance at their Boston residence in January for their daughter, Miss Hope Norman.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. Livingston Beeckman have arrived at their house in Providence for the winter Mrs. Beeckman's mother Mrs. Samuel Thomas, is with her.

—C. H. Wrightington has sold for Clarence Alger to C. LeRoy Grinnell the property at 60 Friendship street, including a cottage and 3392 square feet of land.

—Commodore Karl B. Squires of the Newport yacht club has appointed former Commodore William M. Arnold fleet captain and Dr. Francis A. Corbett fleet surgeon, for the year.

—Mr. and Mrs. Peter F. Watterson and their daughter, Miss Louise Mohr Watterson of Philadelphia, are spending the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Mohr, on Poplar street.

—Messrs. Benjamin G. McLyman Edward P. Corcoran, John H. Greene, Jr., J. Russell Haire, William P. Sheffield, Jr., John H. Nolan and Carlo Russo are home from Brown University to spend the holidays.

—Rev. John X. Murphy of the Catholic University is here to spend Christmas with his parents, Councilman and Mrs. Murphy. He celebrated the 11 o'clock mass at St. Augustin's Sunday and will take part in the Christmas services.

—Lieutenant Commander H. E. Yarnell, U. S. N., fleet engineer officer of the Atlantic fleet, is spending the holidays with his family here, Lieutenant Commander Yarnell will assumeassume his new duties as Navigator of the New Jersey January 4.

—It is reported that the new schooner yacht in course of construction at the Herreshoff yards, Bristol, for Mr. Harold S. Vanderbilt will be for class D and will race against the Princess, Muriel and Taormina instead of the Elena, Irolita and Enchantress.

—The Navy Department has set at rest all speculation regarding the officer who is to succeed Rear Admiral Charles B. T. Moore in command of the naval station at Olongapo, Philippine islands. Captain Benjamin Tappan, supervisor of naval auxiliaries, has been selected.

—Captain E. J. Rizer, a veteran of the Civil war, now a ranch owner in Logan county, Colorado, arrived this morning to spend Christmas and New Year's with his son, Electrician David Rizer of the Training Station. Electrician Rizer is one of those naval men who came to Newport for duty, liked the place, married a Newport girl and is now himself a Newporter. Captain Rizer is 72 years of age, but vigorous and does not overtire on a little journey like this for a holiday visit.

BUNCOMBE BILLS IN ORDER.

Give Notoriety to Men Introducing Them During Short Session.

Are Not Expected to Pass—Virginia's Place in Wilson's Cabinet—French Patriots.

[Washington correspondence of The News.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The short session of Congress is the time for buncombe bills. These are measures which look as if they meant something important and give the man who introduced them a little notoriety and prominence as one who proposes an important reform measure. These bills may take the form of measures to change the currency system, to reduce the high cost of living, to do any number of things which the country has been clamoring for, and yet they are all pure buncombe because they cannot be enacted into law at a short session of Congress.

Two long sessions of Congress have passed, sessions in which much business might have been transacted, in which these reform measures might have been introduced with some show of having them reported from a committee and considered in either House or Senate, but there is no chance for them in the short session.

Sometimes these bills are introduced with the statement that there will be no opportunity for action, but that it is the desire of the person introducing them to have them printed and considered by people interested throughout the country and an opportunity offered for change or amendment. But as a usual thing the big bills introduced go in as if the member expected action this session.

It seems to be assumed from time to time that Virginia is to have a place in the cabinet because Woodrow Wilson was once a resident of that state. There was a time when Virginia was inclined to send a solid delegation to Baltimore for Wilson, but Thomas F. Ryan stepped in and prevented that action. At the same time loyal friends of Wilson, under the leadership of Harry St. George Tucker, managed to win a part of the delegation for the New Jersey governor. Whenever it appears likely that Tucker is to have a place in the cabinet about all the "old-guard" of the Martin-Swanson machine turn flip flaps. They have been fighting Tucker for years.

"We want a man in every county in the United States to teach the farmers how to farm better," said Congressman Lever, explaining the Lever-Smith bill now pending in Congress. It may be that there will not be time enough to consider that bill this session, but if it ever gets before either body the farmers' interest in legislation will push it through. Both men have determined to get early action on this measure in the next Congress.

Congressman Curley of Massachusetts in opposing the immigration bill referred to the French patriots who accompanied Rochambeau to this country to assist in the struggle of the colonies for independence. Among the officers who accompanied Rochambeau, he said, were the following: Three Dillons, O'Moran, Moncreiffy, Moore, Purdon, Bancks, Nugent, Swigny, Shee, O'Neill, O'Berin, MacGuire, MacDermott, O'Reilly, Hely, Nagan, O'Doyer, Lynch, Coglan, Nagle, O'Crolly, O'Connor, O'Riordan, O'Gorman and Macarthy—"all Frenchmen," said Curley.

Curley added that if the restrictions as to reading and writing contained in the bill had been in force before the Revolution and since that many members of the House would not be residents of this country, as it was probable that many of their ancestors when immigrants were not able to read or write.

The settlement of the pro tem presidency of the Senate by dividing the honor between Gallinger and Bacon ought to be a hint to the progressive element as to what may be expected if any attempt is made to ride rough shod over the old timers in the Senate next session. Before these seniors will be demoted they will form an alliance with the seniors on the Republican side and control the Senate, just as they did in the present case. Conservatives are in control and will be in the next Senate if it comes down to a fight between the two factions and party lines are to be wiped out as they were in the election of a presiding officer.

It is a thankless task to be chairman of the committee on claims, but Senator Crawford of South Dakota has performed his task with devotion to duty that is commendable. "I have personally examined every claim," he said, "read the findings of the court of claims in each case and know the merits of each claim." That required an enormous amount of work, but he was informed every time an old claim was presented and prepared to defend every claim in a very large bill.

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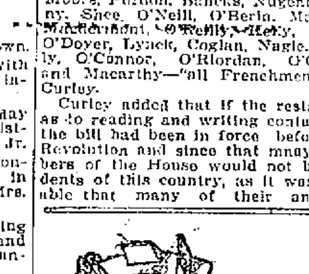

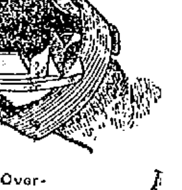

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CHRISTMAS IN WALL STREET.

Salaried Employes in the Financial District to Receive About $1,000,000.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—A fortune in Christmas gifts is being placed today in Wall Street's Christmas stockings. It is estimated roughly that $1,000,000 will be paid out this year in Christmas presents to the army of salaried employes in the financial district. The distribution has been going on for a week, but in the majority of cases the payment of bonuses is made on the day before Christmas.

The year now ending, although a fairly prosperous one for bankers, has been a lean one for stock brokers on account of the dullness in speculation. Although the Christmas total will be smaller than in some former years in which trading in stocks was heavy, in most cases the payments will be as large as has been usual in the last few years. In some houses in "the street" fixed amount signoid, [illegible] fixed amounts in gold are given to clerks, stenographers, bookkeepers and messengers, and in others the employes receive a percentage of their yearly salaries.

One of the large trust companies presented to each employe, from the president down, 50 per cent of his salary for the year, but in most cases the amount is much smaller. In a large number of commercial houses 10 per cent is paid.

"Christmas isn't so much of an event in Wall Street as it used to be," said the floor manger of a large brokerage house. "In the boom years following the Spanish war, when the great mergers were being formed, the stock market was very active and everybody in the street was making money. Bonuses of three months', six months' or even a full year's salary were not unusual among the big houses, but in recent years trading in the stock market has been lighter and we are now pretty well reconciled to the fact that the good old times of the 25 or 50 per cent bonuses have gone for good."

Another reason for a change is the growing tendency to substitute salary increases at the first of the year for Christmas bonuses, on the ground that indiscriminate distribution of lump sums places no premium upon merit. A number of large Wall Street institutions also have introduced the pension system for superannuated employes in place of Christmas gifts.

Hugh placards on the floor of the Exchange today reminded the brokers of the time-honored Christmas fund of the Exchange for its employes, who annually receive several thousand dollars.

FOR FEMALE EMPLOYES.

Public Service Corporation of New Jersey to Have Minimum Wage Scale.

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 24.—The Public Service Corporation of New Jersey, beginning January 1, will establish a minimum wage scale for women and girls in its employ of $9 a week, because an investigation conducted by the welfare committee of the corporation disclosed the fact that on a weekly wage scale of less there could be no assurance that a girl or woman could live in freedom from "the pitfalls" and temptations which beset young women who are thrown in contact with the world. In announcing the new scale, President Thomas McCarter referred it to as in the nature of Christmas gift, because of the time of the year when it would become effective. The company recognized a moral obligation, the president said, to pay not only a living wage but a decent living wage.

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BARON HARDINGE HAS A RESTLESS NIGHT.

Muscles Under Shoulder Blade Rather Severely Torn.

Outrage Possible Work of Bengali Incensed at Removal of Capital.

DELHI, India, Dec. 24.—The attempt on the life of the Viceroy and Viceroine Baron and Lady Hardinge, by an Indian fanatic yesterday, kept the palace and the civil authorities of the imperial city of India busily occupied throughout the night. A large number of persons have been arrested on suspicion of participation in the outrage. In the course of the investigation it has been proved that at least 150 people were gathered at the back of the premises from which the bombs was thrown at the viceroy and viceroine. In the vicinity also was a large crowd composed of natives. There was an immediate scramble after the explosion of the bomb and confusion prevailed everywhere. No special police arrangements had been made for the occasion and only the ordinary native police, commanded by British officers, were on duty in the street.

Scores of theories are abroad in regard to the affair. Some believe that the attempted assassination was the work of a Bengali, who was trying to avenge what he considered the insult of the removal of India's capital from Calcutta to Delhi. The transfer of the imperial headquarters to the ancient city of the Moguls has certainly aroused an extended feeling of unpopularity in many places.

The incident generally is regarded as significant of the peril to which any viceroy or high official of India is subjected in a crowd in an Indian city, now that anarchy has permeated certain classes of the very mixed population of the Indian empire.

The bomb was of the ordinary type, but it contained a large number of screws and talking machine needles, some of which, when dispersed by the explosion, struck the helmets of the men belonging to the battalion of the King's Royal Rifles, who were drawn up in line along each side of the street. None of the soldiers, however, were seriously hurt. A bulletin issued today by the doctors in attendance on the viceroy says:

"Baron Hardinge passed a restless night. It was necessary to relieve his pain by injections of morphia. He suffered little fever last night and none was present this morning. It was found at the operation yesterday evening that the muscle under the shoulder blade was rather severely torn."

A further bulletin issued this evening says: "The viceroy's progress during the day has been satisfactory. He has no fever. He slept throughout the morning and feels much more comfortable. Some of the fragments found in his wounds have proved to be metal portions of the howdah."

Altogether two people were killed by the bomb and 13 injured. The second person killed was a native boy, who had climbed a tree to watch the procession.

ASSAILANT ARRESTED.

An Attempt to Assassinate Prince Aritomo Yamagata Failed.

TOKIO, Dec. 24.—An attempt was made after midnight to assassinate Prince Aritomo Yamagata, the president of the Japanese privy council, and supreme military councillor of Japan. The prince escaped unhurt.

The would-be assassin broke into Prince Yamagata's residence and endeavored to approach the prince. He was, however, observed by some attendants and then tried to commit suicide, but was caught and prevented. He was arrested and an investigation is now proceeding into the reason for his attempt.

Prince Yamagata was the chief of general staff during the Russo-Japanese war. He is well known in all the European countries.

THE CHRISTMAS INFLICTION.

To the Editor of The News:

"The Christmas spirit of love and helpfulness!" "The sweet spirit of Yuletide!" "Love and charity!" "Glorious promise of a new life!" "Peace on earth and good will to men!" These are a few of the expressions that you hear and read every hour during the so-called holidays and in plain English they mean that at this time of the year the rapacity of mankind is given full swing and license; that any one who has a few dollars is going to be robbed more extensively than at any other time of the year; that you and I will have to give $5 to nearly every one we know, from hell-boy to barber, and the recipients will call us "tight wads" because we don't give more.

In return for going broke, what do we get? A few ribald post cards dilating on our leading weaknesses, and Grandma will send us a "Christian Calendar," with a "Sweet Religious Thought for Every Day in the Year," which the same will go into the fire unopened, as usual, and Grandma will expect a silver tea service or its equivalent in return.

In addition to all this, the illustrated journals all seize the opportunity to give a full-page illustration of "The Bachelor's Christmas Eve," wherein is depicted a forlorn man sitting before a fire that displays in its smoke and flames faint outlines of the faces of all the women who have turned him down. In real life this same old bachelor would be playing poker with some boon companions and acquiring a cheerful holiday jag. So another Christmas lie is nailed.

During the so-called holidays thousands of clerks, salesmen and women, letter carriers and expressmen, are worn out and broken down from over-work, and the only real result of the "Sweet Spirit of Christmas" is an enormous addition to the world's suffering and misery, and all for the ridiculous motive that hypocrisy may be glorified.

Civilization comes hard. It has taken us more than a hundred years to realize the wanton barbarity of the Fourth of July. Will it take us another hundred years to learn the folly of celebrating Christmas as we do?

The Kicker.

Newport, December 24, 1912.

It is hardly necessary to say that, while the above communication is admitted to the columns of The News, in accordance with a general principle, it expresses a sentiment and a feeling with which the paper has not the slightest sympathy. Nor is it believed that it will receive the endorsement of more than an infinitesimal proportion of the community.

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FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24, Wall Street—The market opened with Amalgamated Copper 75¼, Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe 105¼, Brooklyn Rapid Transit 89½, Canadian Pacific 259¾, Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul 112, Erie 31¼, Great Northern preferred ex rgts. 130¼, Interborough-Metropolitan preferred 62¼, Reading 107½, Southern Pacific 105, Southern Railway 27¾, Union Pacific 159½, United States steel 67¾.

10—There was hardly enough business on hand to give any appearance of life to the stock market at the opening today. Prices were changed but slightly. Lackawanna advanced 5 points and Great Western lost 1 point.

Noon—The early market today was of a typical pre-holiday character. Many of the active speculators were absent from the street and those who remained took only a perfunctory interest in prices. Dealings revealed some irregularity, but the tone became better after a futile effort had been made by the bears to attract a following by selling the active shares. Reports of an agreement in the subway negotiations infused some sterngth into local tractions. The money market displayed further firmness, call loans renewing at 6 per cent as compared with 4¾ yesterday. Bonds were steady. Money on call, firm, at 5½ per cent; prime mercantile paper, 6 per cent. Exchanges, $379,154,000; balances, $21,813,478.

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EMMANUEL Church. 7:45 Holy Communion. 10:30 Morning Prayer, Sermon and Holy Communion. The rector will preach.

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SOCIETY NOTICES.

Advertisements which must concern members of the societies only, inserted for one cent a word with no charge less than ten cents.

WEENAT SHASSIT TRIBE, No. 6, holds its next regular meeting on Thursday evening, December 26, in Odd Fellows hall at 7:30 o'clock, at which time the election of chief takes place. F. G. Scott, C. of R.

LOCAL ORDER OF MOOSE.—Members of Lands End Lodge, 1010 L. O. O. M., are requested to meet at the club rooms, 255 Thames street, Xmas Day at 1:45 P. M. to attend the funeral of our late brother, Richard D. Graham. Thomas F. Reagan, Secretary.

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MARY DAVENPORT SKINNER.

An Appreciation of a Remarkable Woman Little Known Beyond a Small Circle.

Last week there passed away from this earth one who, from force of circumstances, was little known beyond a comparatively small circle, but who, if the secret of a noble life lies in "being," rather than "doing," deserves more than a passing notice.

Miss Skinner was one of those who are living witnesses to the power of the Christian faith. No one could see her without being profoundly impressed by the simple and unaffected goodness that shone in her face, or without being drawn to higher things by her gracious presence and example. Whatsoever things were true, honorable, just, pure, lovely, and of good report, she obeyed the apostolic injunction to think on these things. Anything evil must have stood abashed in her presence.

An accident, many years ago, greatly restricted her power of walking, and this difficulty gradually increased till it became total disability in her later years, but no outward conditions of her life put any limit to the wide range of her interests or the fullness of her love. With untiring affection she devoted herself to her family circle and her friends, showing a mother's love to the children of her sister; utterly forgetful of self, bringing blessing to all who came within the sphere of her influence. Her power of sympathy was extraordinary, and her judgment and wise counsel eagerly sought for and prized by all about her.

Being largely cut off from an active life, she made the best use of her leisure time. With refined tastes and lofty ideals, she stored her mind with what was best in literature, and her wonderfully retentive memory increased the value of her reading both to herself and others, and added in no small degree to the unusual charm of her conversation. Four years spent in Florence developed her natural appreciation of art and she became also a serious student of the great Italian poet of the Middle Ages.

To the last she retained her wonderful interest in her fellow-creatures. There was no movement for righteousness in which she was not interested, no public measures which seemed to be genuinely inspired by desire for the public good which failed to enlist her enthusiastic support.

Few persons are able to keep to the end of a long life such a degree of loving devotion from the younger generations, and the deep affection of those who are left to mourn her loss and the sense of irreparable vacancy she leaves behind testify to what she was. Upon all the members of her family, from the eldest to the youngest baby, her love and affection were poured forth to the end in fullest measure.

The last year of her life was one of much suffering and trial, but no word of complaint ever passed her lips. Fully aware of her approaching end, in complete assurance of faith she entered into everlasting life, leaving the precious example of a true and devoted servant of her Lord and Master.

W. C. R.

MONCURE ROBINSON SUB-LETS.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Payne Whitney to Have Paris Residence for Winter Months.

A report that Mr. and Mrs. Henry Payne Whitney had purchased the Paris residence of Mr. Moncure Robinson met with a prompt denial by Mr. Robinson. "It would be impossible for me to sell that which I do not own," he said.

Mr. Robinson, however, sub-let his home in Paris, which is No. 3 rue Marbeuf, to Mr. and Mrs. Whitney for January, February and March, and they will leave soon for Europe to take possession of it. This residence, which is not far from the Bois de Boulogne, has been leased for some time to Mr. Robinson, who makes it his Paris home for several months in each year.

PROGRESSIVES MEET.

Committee Appointed to Organize the Young Men's Club of Newport.

A meeting of Newport Progressives was held Monday evening, when a committee to organize the Young Men's Progressive Club of Newport was appointed, as follows: William A. Stoddard, Charles Bissel, Edward Griffith, James W. Smith, Philip Dowling, R. Wallace Peckham, John J. Murphy, D. LeRoy Dresser, Jethro J. Peckham, Nathan T. Hodson, Clarence H. Wrightington, Frank Barry, Anthony Cratzel, Ralph R. Barker, Howard G. Ward, John J. Grogan, George W. Gibbs. The Newport club will be a part of the state organization, it being expected to form local clubs in every city and town, with general headquarters in Providence. This is in accordance with plans made at the recent national conference in Chicago to put the organization on a national and permanent basis.

ILL WITH PNEUMONIA.

Wallace F. Johnson, Runner-Up in Tennis Tournament at Casino Last Summer.

Wallace F. Johnson of Haverford, Pa., runner-up to Maurice E. McLaughlin, the national lawn tennis champion, at the Casino in this city last summer is ill at his home in Haverford with pneumonia, and has been forbidden by his physician to play in the inter-club squash matches. Johnson was a member of the Merion team, and his loss will greatly weaken its chances of winning, Johnson being its best man.

Johnson, who is one of the most noted tennis players in America, has had several titles, among them being the American interscholastic and intercollegiate, while a student at the University of Pennsylvania, defeating Long, the California player, in a well-remembered "come-back" match.

In this city last summer Johnson was the surprise of the tournament. He worked his way to the finals, dropping his Philadelphia friend, W. J. Clothier, in the lower bracket of the semi-finals. His famous chop stroke nearly pulled him into the championship. His match with McLaughlin went five sets. Johnson won the first two easily, the California youth being unable to fathom the chop Johnson gave the ball.

INTERNATIONAL POLO DATES.

June 10 and 14 Named, With a Third to be Selected Later, if It Should be Necessary.

Official announcement is made by the Polo Association that the first match for the international cup will be played Tuesday, June 10, 1913, the second Saturday, June 14, and a third contest, if necessary, on a date to be arranged later. These dates were named in acceptance of the challenge of the Hurlingham Club of England, and were decided upon by a committee of the Polo Association in acquiescence to the request of the Britishers that the games be played as early as possible in the season, in order that they might be able to return home in time to take part in the championship there.

The letter of acceptance, written by William A. Hazard, secretary of the Polo Association, to Major A. Edgerton Green, manager of the Hurlington Club, Futham, S. W. London, England, says:

"The committee of the Polo Association waives the rules as to the measurement of ponies played by each team as has been the custom in the past.

"The committee desires as far as possible to meet the wishes of the Hurlingham Club in regard to all matters connected with these events and hopes that the dates named will have your entire approval. Look forward with great interest to the promised matches".

REVIVAL OF THE CAMEO.

Ever Recurring Revolutions of Fashion's Wheel Brings Forth Victorian Ornament.

[London Chronicle.]

The ever recurring revolutions of fashion's wheel have brought into wear once again that curiously Victorian ornament, the cameo—Victorian at least as regards its modern presentment, though what connoisseurs know and regard as a cameo dates "from the beginning of the regni period in the fourth century B. C., when the introduction of more splendid materials from the East was turned to good account by the development of the cameo, i. e., of gem carving in relief." The cameo is the converse of the intaglio, which is a sunk or incised engraving.

The Victorian cameo can hardly be regarded as a work of art. The stones are cut in large quantities to be used as studs, rings, etc., and an extensive trade is done in Rome and Paris in the cutting of shell cameos, which are sent to England and mounted as brooches, pendants, earrings, etc., by the Birmingham jewelers. Both West Indian and East Indian shells are used for this purpose, and though fashion may to a certain extent give a fresh impetus to this trade it is more probable that the "genuine antiques" of the Victorian era will be sought for.

A complete parure of cameos was made by Hancocks (the jewelers), about 1855; "the set was worn by the Countess Granville, wife of the British minister to the court of Russia, and she wore them at the coronation of Czar Alexander II. In the diadem is a fine cameo portrait of Queen Elizabeth set in its original gold enamelled locket form. At the back are two miniatures, one of the queen, the other of the Earl of Leicester, both by Hilliard, the royal miniature painter, while the cameo is ascribed to Coldore, who is known to have made portraits of Elizabeth for Henry IV."

Among famous patrons of the cameo were: Lorenzo de Medici, "the greatest patron of arts that ever lived"; Catherine de Medici, who brought a fine collection of gems and cameos with her to France; Mme. de Pompadour, herself a gem cutter; Marie Antoinette, Napoleon and Queen Victoria—a cameo was cut by Pistrucci, chief engraver to the royal mint, "showing a young head of Princess Victoria on one side and another of the same lady as queen on the other."

FENCING FOR WOMEN.

Fencing has grown very popular within the last decade in England, and its devotees contend that it is an art particularly adapted to woman's physical energy. Grace, strength, quickness of eye and defiance of wrist are the pre-requisites. In foil play no hit counts that it not full and fair upon the body, and the chivalrous elegancies of the art endear it to women.

The English women prefer, in the exercise of it, a costume of twill, because it, better than any other material, stops the thrust of an accidentally broken foil. A double thickness of fine twill is considered better than a single thickness of a heavier variety, and there are re-inforcing pieces of twill at the neck and under the right armpit. This for the tunic, and under it a skirt that protects the knees, because a slight blow on the kneecap might cause synovitis, the fencers dread. Feet and legs are encased in high, heelless, laced boots of suede, really buskins in style. It is as well that women who fence are quite willing to sacrifice personal appearance to safety and the "game," because the mask worn does not leave much room for beauty to make a showing. It is usually provided with a wide beard, or lanthern flap, that covers the neck and reaches around below the ears. In the matches, a costume of all white is always worn.

WILL BE WHITE CHRISTMAS.

To be Observed With Reunions, Dinners and Distribution of Gifts.

Washington Commandery to Meet in Special Conclave—Usual Holiday at Training Station.

Tomorrow, Christmas, will be of course a legal holiday, and generally observed throughout the city. The banks, public offices and the larger number of the stores will be closed. The postoffice will observe holiday hours, the carriers making only one delivery, which is likely to give them all they care to do. The Protestant Episcopal and Roman Catholic churches will hold services in the morning, with special musical programs. There will also be a Christmas service at the First Methodist Episcopal Church. The Torpedo Station and New England Steamship Company's shops will be closed, and at the forts and naval stations the enlisted men will be called upon to do only necessary duties, there being special dinners and holiday exercises.

There will be many reunions and dinners in the homes, while Mrs. T. Shaw Safe will entertain a number of families at Masonic hall, providing a Christmas dinner. The Salvation Army and Sunshine Society will furnish dinners for many poor families, and at the City Asylum and Newport Hospital special entertainments will be provided for the inmates. At the hospital there are many children in the detention ward and they will be especially remembered by their parents and friends with gifts.

Those who prefer a white Christmas will have their wish gratified, as today's snow will undoubtedly remain on the ground for several days. The children with new sleds will have an opportunity to try them.

There has been a large Christmas trade in the stores and many will have their holiday made the happier by the gifts which have been purchased and which will be distributed to their new owners tonight or tomorrow morning.

Washington Commandery, No. 4, Knights Templar, will meet, as usual, in special conclave in Masonic hall, to join with other Commanderies throughout the country in the sentiment wishing a joyous and happy Christmas to Eminent William Bromwell Melish, most eminent grand master of the Grand Encampment of the United States. The Commandery will meet at 11 o'clock and carry out the following program:

Devotions, led by the excellent prelate.
Music.
Toast, "To our Most Eminent Grand Commander," response by Rt. Eminent Sir John P. Sanborn, past grand commander of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island.
Toast, "To our Right Eminent Grand Commander;" response by Eminent Sir Robert S. Franklin.
Music.
Toast, "To the Grand Master of Masons of Rhode Island;" response by Right Worshipful William B. Scott.
Toast, "To our Absent Friars;" response by Eminent Sir Clark Burdick.
Music.
Toast, "To the Ladies;" response by Sir William MacLeod.
Music.

The musical program will be rendered by Mrs. Herbert W. Smith, soprano; Mrs. Thatcher T. Bowler, pianist, and Sir George H. Bryant, cellist.

Christmas day will be observed at the Naval Training Station with the usual holiday games and dinner. The sports will be held in Barracks B during the morning and afternoon and will consist of 13 events for cash prizes, including one-mile run, 100-yard dash, three-legged race, sack race, potato race, shoe race, bobbing for apples, spoon race, 50-yard race backward, chariot race between the yeoman's school and Constellation Guard, blind fold race, bling boxing contest and hand ball race between the yeoman's School and Constellation Guard. The folowing menu will be served at the Christmas dinner:

Oysters on the half Shell.
Cocktail Sauce.
Celery, Consumme Stuffed Olives
Roast Turkey.
Force meat dressing, Cranberry Sauce
Giblet Gravy
Asparagus with butter sauce
French Peas
Potato Croquettes
Mince Pie Raisin Cake
Neapolitan Ice Cream.
Bananas Oranges Apples Grapes
Mixed Nuts Vanilla Wafers
Sweet Cider
Coffee Cigars
Souvenir Boxes of Chocolates and Bon Bons.

POLICE NOTES.

There was one man in for drunkenness this morning, who made enough noise for a whole station full. Originally the police heard some one was undressing on Broadway; they found him farther away from the station. This morning he threatened to pull down the station, and as the weather was not propitious for outdoor living, and the new police station is not yet built, he was shifted to the jail.

The police gathered in a girl who was already on probation, and her male companion, this morning. He was fined $12.00; she was ordered committed to the Oaklawn school, or to the state workhouse for six months.

ALDERMEN APPROVE PAY ROLLS.

The Board of Aldermen had a short and uneventful session Monday evening to approve the pay rolls, so that money would be available in time for Christmas. Mayor Boyle presided and all the members were present.

The rolls were approved for the following: Weekly—Streets and highways, $644.12; police, $992.26; fire department, $507.76; city officers, $252.35; firemen in theatres, $36. Monthly—Police, $166.74; Police Relief, $307.98; city officers, $2,260.85; Rev. Julius Bloch, $100; N. Friedman, $16.67.

The next meeting will be Friday instead of Thursday evening.

ORDERS TO NAVAL OFFICERS.

The Navy Department announces the following orders to officers:

Lieutenant Commander C. A. Gardiner, placed on the retired list, from December 19, and ordered home.

Lieutenant Commander T. S. Wilson, detached from the Colorado and ordered to treatment at the Naval hospital, Mare Island.

Lieutenant Winfield Liggett, detached from the Cumberland and ordered to duty in charge of rifle range at Guantanamo, Cuba.

Lieutenant (junior grade) T. A. Thompson, detached from the Florida, December 24, and ordered to duty as aide on the staff of Rear Admiral F. E. Beatty.

Paymaster's Clerk H. L. Miller, appointed for duty on the Nebraska.

Paymaster's Clerk W. R. Ryan, appointed for duty as fleet pay clerk of the Atlantic fleet.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

At the annual meeting Monday evening of Loyalty Lodge, No. 13, Portuguese Society of the United States of America, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Manuel S. Silveira.
Vice President—Thomas S. Perry.
Recording and Corresponding Secretary Manuel P. Santos.
Treasurer—Thomas M. Allen.
Receiving Secretary—Adolphus S. Franco.
Trustees—Antonio S. Vargas, Jose P. Santos.
Financial Committee—Antonio M. Rocha, Frank C. Rosa, Jose M. Costa.
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Master of Ceremonies—Dominicque P. Carvalho.
Representative to the Supreme Lodge—Manuel S. Silveira.

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POSTAGE ON PARCELS.

Chief Clerk Shea Evolves Condensed Table or Short Cut for Determining Rates.

Chief Clerk Shea of the postoffice is still at work on the parcels post problem, and one of these duties is that of filling the blanks in the rate book which names every office in the country. These books are sent out with blanks to be filled in, because every office, having a different location, has different rates to other places. Hence each centre must work out its own by the aid of the official map supplied, with red circles drawn in compliance with the location.

Mr. Shea has been pondering over the official table, with the determined idea that it is too bulky for common usage, which seems to be agreed by other employes and he has now evolved a condensed table which one may stow away in his brain or his pocketbook. A simple rule to find the rate of postage on parcels is to add four to the number of the zone, and that sum will be the rate in cents for the first pound. For additional pounds the rate is two cents less per pound up to the fifth zone, one cent less for the sixth and seventh zone and 12 cents a pound flat for the eighth zone. In these short cuts in determining rates Mr. Shea seems to be rather in advance of other localities, as nothing but the encumbered table has yet been noticed in print.

TO BE OYSTER DREDGER.

Old Block Island Steamer George W. Danielson Makes Last Trip in Service.

Steamer George W. Danielson, the passenger and freight boat running for a third of a century between Block Island, Providence and Newport, has made her last trip in that service. She was towed from Block Island Sunday night to Fall River, and is to be converted into an oyster dredger.

The steamer was built in Maine in 1880. She was owned by a little company of shareholders, but about 10 years ago became the property of the town of New Shoreham. She has been laid up for several years at Block Island.

AUCTION SALES.

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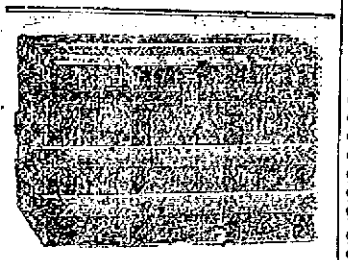

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